reservations join. There are about None of them was affected by the explosses. The experimental laboratory was approx matchy 60 by 120

Men fighting the fire suffered needly from the cold. The water from upon their facer, gloved hands and clothes. It was possible to get emly two streams upon the fire, even after the arrival of forty members of the Dover Volunteer Fire Department, with motor apparatus, under command of Chief A. H. Goodale. These firemen went close up to the burning laboratory building but so far as could be ascertained none was hurt. Several had narrow escapes. however

Awakened from their sleep by the emplesion, which occurred shortly at- NO PROOF OF FRAUDS. ter midnight six Dover physicians went to the arsenal and worked in the emergency hospital there.

The fire was a brilliant sight. The experimental laboratory, which was a one-stery brick building, was flaming from every window and fire was rising through the hold where the roof used to be. On each side were other smaller structures on fire. Every little while there would be an explosion, as though a heavy shell had burst, and the flames would billow a hundred feet into the air.

large and small, desaid Lieut, Samuel Chiles. tent of the damage. The lifteen men fell on and near other buildings.

JUDGE ORDERS OLD BAIL CASES TO QUICK TRIAL

Malone Denounces System Which He Says Practically Permits Purchase of Freedom.

Judge James T. Mainne, after disposthe to-day in Part IV, or the Court of been smarting under the attack of under a pretense of performing pub Legislation Extending Regulation that Charles Bartel during an argubecause of the disappearance of wit- corning the conduct of the war-and and the President himself knew, that names, or for other causes, scathingly the attitude of some of their col- the visitor went there for an inquisi person accused of crime and able to dent Wilson. obtain ball, to delay trial until conviction is practically impossible, while the case is theen.

"Matters have reached a stage," dechared Judge Malone, "where a buff Department, freedom. This condition is a represch to public fustion. I hereby direct the calender for trial to-moryow all the old

DEMPSEY JURY DISAGREES, STOOD 7 TO 5 TO CONVICT

Discharged After Twenty-Three Hours' Deliberation - Will Be Tried Again, Says Lewis.

The trial of John J. Dempsey, Vice President of the New York Railroad Company and Superintendent of the ion ejerated line, the third to be tried criminally for the responsibility of sinety-two deaths and the injuring of in the Maltione Street tunnel, ended this morning in a disagreement of the jury at Minesia after being out twenty-three

certainly try Mr. Dempsey again." According to George B. Patterson. one of the jurors, the first ballot was night to four for acquittal and the last seven for conviction and five for acquittal, with a recommendation for morey.

UNREST IN MESOPOTAMIA. Government Buildings Are Burned

at Bhesessar. LONDON, Dec. 18.-A Turco-Areb mevement of considerable proportions have been guilty of fraud." ing to the War Office to-day. The Araba are reported to have burned the Oov-ernment buildings at Eheressar, and ap-pear to be still in possession of it, the reports state.

reports state.

Numerous Bedeuins were encamped in the heighborhood. A Turco-Arab column is reported moving down the Euphrates in the direction of Begdad.

The British authorities, it is an naunced, are taking measures to handle the attractor.

KRUPP WORKS SHOW LOSS.

Making Locomotives and Agricultural Machinery Unprefitable. ESSEN, Dec. 18 .- For the first time the balance sheet of the Krupp Arms industry this year shows a loss. The deficit amounts to 28,000,009 marks. but it is covered by a bulance prought forward and a special reserve of 20,000,-000 marks. The Krupp works are at present constructing londmotives, fraight present constructing incomments and trucks, agricultural spachinery and moving picture apparatus, instead of

Pressing Assembly Passes Bill for Centralized State. BERLAN, Dec. 18.—The Prussian Hats Assumbly, by a vote of 210 to 32, in-day passed a resciulion in favor of a "centralized German state."

LEGIST L. Sold W. Chr. Por

reservations Join. There are about sizer large buildings on the naval reservation, most of them being used to store large dismittee or powder. FALL'S VISIT TO SICK ROOM BITTERLY RESENTED IN

Congressman Garrett, in Notable Speech, Ridicules the Republican Hunt for Scandal.

Says Investigations Are Merely for Purpose of Fault-Finding and Criticisms.

By David Laurence. (Special Correspondent of The Evening World.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec.

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speeches are made in the House "There were fifteen to twenty of Representatives that few of them ever get notice. What with the was elected by the people, they stole Commandant of the naval powder coal strike and treaty controversy it from depot near the armenad "I have only and railroad legislation to fuss with . "The other three they have slangeneral information as to the ex- and the "end of the world" to dered while living and traduced while frighten folks with, a good oid- dead. We had an instance of that of the Marine Corps, who went from the fashioned rough-and-tumble speech a few months ago when an effort was bravely under cochinand of Capt. A. of the kind that makes American made to set aside a little plot of B. Hale. They were nandicapped by politics appetizing passes on to the ground upon which to erect a monucause water mains had been broken obscurity of the record unless those ment to President Buchanan. by the explosion. They used brush who chance to have heard it spread COMPARES "CRITICISM" WITH and sticks to best out embers that the word that it is worth reading. Such a speech has just been de-

> that, just because they did business termipe are gracious compliments. with the Government during the "But criticism is not all, Mr. FILIBUSTER IN SENATE

PARTIAL TESTIMONY.

rett at the outset, "covers two large kind. which the defendants are enjoying their volumes. Every case presents a "And now the President has added purely legal question in itself. No insuft to injury by walking." General Sessions records show man can pass judgment upon any Referring to the fact that "in has been taken. Do we object to the capt one, the Secretary or War was a facts coming out? No! Do we ob Democrat," Mr. Garrett called attenjeet to discussion? No! What we tion to the things that occurred do object to is the opportunity of in when a Republican Secretary of ferences to be cast out to the coun- War, Horatio Alger, was in charge, try predicated alone upon only a but added; part of the testimony that has been RECALLS CHARGES ABOUT BAD taken. taken.

"Eight husiness firms of this country are mentioned by name in the as to things that occurred during report filed by the majority of the that administration as charging Mr. committee, and it is followed with Alger with responsibility. No man the statement that the settlement of of sense would think for a single these claims in some of these cases, moment that he or the great and

Designey was to be dropped. District the Government or fraud upon the Attorney Lewis said: "We shall most part of the firms mentioned? I submit that it is an injustice of the rive none from this constant nagtravest character for a great com- ging." mittee of this House to bring before this body in an official report allegations attacking the integrity of business firms, without specifying the firm they would attack or the employees of or representatives of the Government whom they charge, if they would dare charge,

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States and Secretary of War.

teristic," exclaimed Mr. Garrett, fidence. 'Did it ever occur to you that since RESENTS TALK OF FRAUD IN the Republican Party came into existence there have been five Demoand elected as Vice President (An-18 drew Johnson), and he became many President by reason of the death of office. The next one (Tilden), who

TALK OF GUTTERSNIPE.

"Criticising the President of the livered by Representative Finis United States. Why he is accus-Garrett of Tennessee, a Democrat, tomed to it. There have been Rewhose remarks have attracted con- publican expressions of criticism in charges of fraud which the House siderable attention, first among club rooms and cloak rooms and business men who resent the sweep- drawing rooms and on the street coming imputation and generalizations pared to which the jibes of the gut-

war they must necessarily have de- Speaker. Offensive curiosity and frauded the Government, and, sec- malignant hope forced a way into ond, among the Democrats who have the sick chamber of the President to watch prosecution failed their Republican colleagues con- lic business though every man knows. denounced the system which permits a leagues toward the health of Prest- tion of lunary with an order to return the writ within forty-eight heurs.

accused person who is unable to obtain of the report made by the Republi- have been for him to meet there a trol and licensing during 1929 were a bail bend is rushed to trial while the can majority of the committee in- mind clear, untouched; a vision that unable, because of protracted uppo vestigating expenditures in the War still looked into the far future sunclouded, and a will unbent, though powers proposed for the United States bond practically stands for purchase of IMPROPER INFERENCES FROM he had suffered temporary defeat in Sugar Equalization Board. his masterful effort for bringing "The testimony taken before this about the peace of the world and was begun to-day by Senator Ranscherk of the Court to piace on the sub-committee" explained Mr. Gar stanching the flow of blood of man-

"I disdain to make any intimation mong in the accelerat Nov. 1, 1913, without specifying, 'seem to have kindly McKinley were in any sort been obviously tainted with fraud. of way responsible for the food that "In what respect are they tainted was fed to the soldiers of this counwith fraud and whose fraud? Fraud try in that war, and there is no political advantage to be obtained from tell you gentlemen now you will de-

Mr. Garrett said he was willing to



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SCHNEIBLE .- On Wednesday, Doc. 17. CARL A SCHNEIBLE St. aged 78. Funeral private, on Friday, from 10 late residence, 122 Mast 121st st. WRIGHT, Buddenly on Tuceday, Jiec, 16. 1919, in his 63d year, at Mariborough, N. T. LUCIEN L. WHIGHT, Superficendent of the from Steambout Co. Fineral purvices will be held from his late residence at Mariborough, N. Y., at 2 P. M., as Saturday, Dec. 20. Emplayers of Iron Steamboat Company will beave New York City, on Saturday, from the foot of Cortlandt at., 10 40 A. M. or the foot of West 42d st., 19.55 A. M. (West Shere Railroad) to attend the

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let the record speak for itself and GIRL OF 16 TO BE TRIED then quoted this sentence from the FOR KILLING HER FATHER concluding paragraph of the report

of Gen. Pershing, in which he said "In closing this report, Mr. Sec retary. I flesire to record my deep appreciation of the unqualified support accorded me throughout the war by the President and yourself. My task was simplified by your confidence and wise counsel."

Mr. Garrett closed with one of the ost dramatic perorations heard in be House in recent years. He said: I resent the imputation of fraud contained in this report; I resent it

the report Mr. Garrett accused the in the name of my party, one of Republicans of conducting the en- whose members happens to have tire investigation not to attack the been Secretary of War throughout officers in France but merely to these gruelling years. I resent it in criticise the President of the United the name of friends in that department, men of different political "Criticise the President of the faith with whom I have come in con-United States? Why, that is charace tact, in whose integrity I have con-

NAME OF SOLDIERS.

"I resent it in the name of the liv-United States? One of them the ing millions of soldiers. I resent it Republicans themselves nominated in the name of the mothers of the soldiers who died in France and who have their place in the warriors' heaven." least without my earnest protest peached and sought to oust him from and my feeble dispute, cause those grieved souls and bruised hearts to suffer more by untruthfully alleging that the Administration under which they fought for their country was shot through with fraud. I challenge that statement and demand the proof."

It may not be any extenuation of the course of the Republicans, but it is a fact that under similar circumstances the Democrats have led the attack, though admittedly without political advantage. But the speech of Representative Garrett may be considered the typical Democratic viewpoint at present in reply to the committees have been investigating for the last six months.

OVER SUGAR CONTROL

Receives Seffrick-Ramsdell Leads Fight.

WASHINGTON. Dec 18 .- Sugar legislation received, another setback n the Senate to-day Advocates of The occasion was the discussion "And how disappointing it must the bill to extend Federal sugar con House amendments broadening the

A fillbuster against the measure dell of Louisiana, Ho opposes the bill because, he says, it would mean mulsiana sugar producers would have to accept less for their sugar

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'Lord Tells Me to Do It." Said Clara Bartel After Using Shotgun in Home.

Miss Clara Bartel of Edgewood, Pa., cill be tried for the murder of her treaty might be resumed actively befather last August at their home. fore the holiday recess developed to-day when the Foreign Relations Committee was called to meet Satscitoolgiri.

The shooting occurred in the kitchen of the Bartel home. It is alleged ment struck his wife. The police say Fails to Make Faverable Impresthe daughter, enraged at this action, seized a shotgun and fired point ing, Clara said: "The Lord told me case of William O. Jenkins, the Amerto do it, while I lay in bed last night."

lay before them details of the plan impression. whereby the "big five" packers are reported ready to abandon their sidelines, unrelated to the meat industry. Sepaention of these branches of ject of anti-trust suits recently instiman carn pass judgment upon any Referring to the fact that "in one of those cases without hearing every war of consequence in which or reading all of the testimeny that this country has been engaged, expound.

Ject of anti-trust suits recently instituted by the Department of Justice. Officials at the Department of Justice of those cases without hearing every war of consequence in which this country has been engaged, expound the testimeny that this country has been engaged, expound.

DEMOCRATS NOW DEMOCRATS CALL TO SAVE HER MOTHER DRAWING UP THEIR OWN RESERVATIONS

They Will Be Submitted First to Republicans Who Favor League of Nations.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 .- Definite proposals for a peace treaty compromise are being formulated by Democratic Senators for submission to Republican mild reservationists.

This is the first time that Demorats have taken the lead in seeking agreement on specific ferms. In doing so they are acceding to the request of Republicans, who since the treaty falled have declined to put Senator Underwood is the only busimise they should say definitely how far they are willing to go.

Adjustment of differences over the nothing stand in the way of ratification, according to all indications to- Giass as the successor to Senator day. Lodge and Hitchcock will be Martin, is expected to be present. The called into consultation only when it Alabama Senator's supporters also is certain an agreement has been were said to desire disposition of the reached that probably nothing can treaty before the leadership election overturn, it is evident.

ing drawn up will take the form, it the treaty might not be an insue was stated, of a new set of reservations. They will be submitted to the who is Vice Chairman of the Demo treaty's friends on the Republican cratte conference, in issuing the call side only when support of the most indicated to his friends that he felt of the Democratic Senators has been confident of winning. definitely fledged. A Senator who is Sanators Hitchook and Underwood helping prepare them said to-day he have differed regarding future procewould not be surprised if they follow durs, the former opposing, and the the Lodge reservations.

Possibility that the fight over the frock just below her knees, and her urday morning. The purpose of the ring irrespective of the outcome of the with a hig blue riobon, she resembles a schoolgirl.

Committee was called to meet Saturday morning. The purpose of the ring irrespective of the outcome of the meeting was not announced, but leadership contest, Senator Highlands a schoolgirl. declare a state of peace.

MEXICO'S REPLY RECEIVED.

sion at State Department. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 .- Mexico's blank at her father. After the shoot- reply to the tast American note on the tean Consular Agent, was received today at the State Department

A CAUCUS TO END States Housing Corporation, recom-

Hitchcock Fathers It and Friends of Underwood, Rival for Leadership, Are Included.

Settlement of the contest for leader ship between Senator Hitchcock and forward any terms, on the ground ness to come before the conference. that if the Democrats want compro- The outcome of the contest was said to be in doubt-

Friends of Senator Underwood intimated to-day that they might entreaty has passed from the hands of deavor to postpone a vote until after Senator Lodge to men who will let the holidays, when the full Democratic membership, including Carter so that the question of endorsing The Democratic proposals now be- Senator Hitchcock's management of

The action of Senator Hitcherel

luft for future consideration

tration leader in the treaty fight.
Some of Senator Underwood's friends were outspoken in criticising Senator Hitchcock's call.

Supreme Court Dismisses Her Ap peal of Her Request. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18,-Application of Emma Goldman for permissio

TO SUE FOR HOUSING GRAF Sennte Committee Lines Civil Action by the Government. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 .- The Senate Committee appointed to investigate public buildings constructed during, the war under supervision of the United

mended to the Senate to-day that steps

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latter agreeing, to secept as a last alternative, the plan of Senator Knox, to ratify the treaty except the League of Nations Covenant, which would be

EMMA GOLDMAN TO GO.

to appeal from Federal Court decrees Palmer Confers With Senators on Packers' Plan.

WASHINGTON Dec. IS.—Attorney General Palmer to-day had a long conference with Senators Kenyon and Kendrick at which it was expected he would had a first reading the comment on the note, it was indicated that at first reading the comment of the mote of the comment on the note of the comment of the note of the comment on the note of the comment of the note of the no in New York, denying habeas corpus nortation, was dismissed to-day by the Supreme Court, at the request of her





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